

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

Minimum Support Prices (MSP) for Coarsegrains – Procurement of Telangana State Cooperative Marketing Federation (Telangana State Markfed) during Rabi 2015-16 – Nominating the Telangana State Markfed ad Nodal Agency for procurement of Maize for Rabi 2015-16 and for opening purchase centres – Orders – Issued.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (CS.I-CCS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 11

Dated: 19/03/2016

1. G.O. Ms.No.14, CA, F & CS (CS.I-CCS) Department, Dt:09.10.2015.
2. Lr.Rc.No.123 / Maize MSP / Rabi / 2015-16, dated:03.03.2016 of the Managing Director of TS Markfed.

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In the Government Order 1st read above, the policy for MSP operations of Coarsegrains for KMS 2015-16 was issued.

2. In the reference second read above, the Managing Director, Telangana State Markfed has informed that farmers of Adilabad and Khammam are demanding TS Markfed to purchase maize at MSP to ensure remunerative price to their produce.

3. Government after carefully examining the request of the Managing Director, Telangana State Marketing Federation (Telangana State Markfed), order that the Managing Director, Telangana State Marketing Federation be appointed as Nodal Officer for procurement of maize at MSP during Rabi 2015-16 for taking action as indicated in G.O.Ms.No.14, CA, F&CS (CS.I-CCS) Department, Dt: 09.10.2015 (as G.O is applicable for both Kharif and Rabi Season 2015-16) with permission to open the purchase centres for MSP operations as per the requirement.

4. Government of India vide Lr. No. 15-1/2015-PY-III dated 25.05.2015 has informed that as per the existing policy guidelines of the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution, for procurement and disposal of coarse grains, the coarse grains procured by the state not meant for TPDS/OWS schemes, cannot be considered as procurement done towards Central Pool and hence, such procurement is not eligible for any price support. However Government of India has bee requested to permit the State Government to procure coarse grains under MSP for central pool in the interest of the farmers to avoid distress sale by the farmers. In case Government of India do not accept the maize or other coarse grains procured by the State Government through Markfed and any loss incurred in such transaction viz., procurement expenses and difference between the economic cost and disposal by the Markfed shall be borne by the State Government from Agriculture, Marketing and Cooperation Department budget as ordered in the reference 1st read above.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

Dr. RAJAT KUMAR
EX.OFFICIO PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Managing Director, T.S.MARKFED, Hyderabad
The Chief Executive Officer, SERP, Telangana, Hyderabad.
The Commissioner of Marketing, Telangana, BRKR Bhavan, Hyderabad.
The Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Telangana, Hyderabad.
The Commissioner of Civil Supplies, Telangana, Hyderabad.

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Copy to:

The Principal Secretary to Government,

Agri. Marketing & Coop. Department, Telangana, Hyderabad.

All Collectors/Joint Collectors/District Supply Officers.

The Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

The P.S to Hon'ble Minister for (Fin & CS), Telangana, Hyderabad.

The P.S to Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture and Horticulture, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The P.S to Hon'ble Minister for Marketing Department, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution (Department of Food & Public Distribution), Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.

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SECTION OFFICER